

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: NA  
TAGS: BBSR, BBAK, IZ  
SUBJ: WTDR/FTI: STATE ENTERPRISE FOR SOUTHERN AREA OIL REF-  
INERIES (REQUESTED AS BASRAH REFINERY).

REF USODOC 9696

1. IRAQ  
OFFICE USE: 2. 505 3. NA 4.01  
5. STATE ENTERPRISE FOR SOUTHERN AREA OIL REFINERIES  
6. P.O. BOX 77  
7. BASRAH  
8. CONTACT:  
9. TITLE: DIRECTOR-GENERAL  
10. PHONE: 213841  
11. TELEX:  
12. CABLES: BASREVIN BASRAH IRAQ  
13. ESTABL: NA  
14. EMPL: NA  
15. SIZE: LARGE  
16. REPUTATION: NA  
17 RPT DATE: 06/78  
OFFICE USE: 18. NA 19. A 20. NA 21. NA 22. 160202  
23A. 29110/9 GOVERNMENT-OWNED PETROLUUM REFINERS.  
23B. 33123/5F IMPORTER OF TIN PLATE FOR OWN USE.  
33160/5F IMPORTER OF STEEL SHEET FOR OWN USE.  
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23D. 33176/5F IMPORTER OF STEEL PIPES FOR OWN USE.  
23E. 34430/5F IMPORTER OF FABRICATED PLATE WORK FOR OWN USE.  
23F 24940/5F IMPORTER OF VALVES AND PIPE FITTINGS FOR OWN USE.  
23G. 35593/5F IMPORTER OF PLASTIC-WORKING MACHINERY FOR OWN USE.  
23H. 35595/5F IMPORTER OF PETROLEUM REFINERY MACHINERY FOR  
OWN USE.  
23I. 35611/5F IMPORTER OF INDUSTRIAL PUMPS FOR OWN USE.

23J. 38112/5F IMPORTER OF LABORATORY AND SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS  
FOR OWN USE.

24. FOREIGN SALES: NA

25. FINANCIAL REFERENCES: NA

26. TRADE REFERENCES: NA

27. FOREIGN FIRMS REPRESENTED: NA

28. POST EVALUATION: THE STATE ENTERPRISE FOR SOUTHERN  
AREA REFINERIES IS A GOVERNMENT- OWNED ENTITY WHOSE OPERATIONS  
ARE SUPERVISED BY THE STATE ESTABLISHMENT FOR OIL REFINING  
AND GAS PROCESSING FORMERLY KNOWN AS THE OIL REFINERIES  
ADMINISTRATION (ORA). IT OPERATES THE BASRAH REFINERY WITH A  
CURRENT ANNUAL CAPACITY OF 3.5 MILLION TONS. AN  
EXPANSION PROJECT UNDER WAY WILL DOUBLE THIS CAPACITY.  
IT ALSO OPERATES THE MUCH SMALLER AND OLDER MUFTIEH  
REFINERY. THE U.S. INTERESTS SECTION CONSIDERS IT TO BE  
A GOOD TRADE CONTACT FOR U.S. FIRMS.

29. PREP: KHALID G. TALIA APR: DAVID S. ROBINS

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